

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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RICHARD STANTON (as trustee for Ashley :
Stanton) on behalf of himself and all others simi-
larly situated, : 08 CV 3054 (LAP)

Plaintiff, :

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

vs. :

MERRILL LYNCH & CO., INC. and :
MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER &
SMITH INCORPORATED, :

Defendants. :
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Please take notice that the undersigned of the law firm of Skadden, Arps, Slate,
Meagher & Flom LLP is hereby entering an appearance as counsel of record for Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.
and Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated.

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